

DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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December 18, 2015

Dan Boettger Director of Regulatory & Environmental Affairs Okanogan County PUD No. 1 P.O. Box 912 Okanogan, WA 98840-0912

Re: Water Right Permit No. G4-35343

Dear Mr. Boettger:

On December 14, 2015, Department of Ecology (Ecology) received your request for an extension for the Beginning of Construction stage. In response to your request, the development schedule for the above referenced water right has been extended as follows:

Begin Construction:

December 31, 2017

Basis of extension approval:

- The permit holder requires more time due to financial challenges.
- There is clear evidence that preliminary efforts are in progress and the project is still viable.

Please mail in the enclosed Construction Notice by the new deadline. If you have any questions, please contact the Water Resources Help Desk at (509) 575-2597.

YOUR RIGHT TO APPEAL

You have a right to appeal this Decision to the Pollution Control Hearings Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt of this Decision. The appeal process is governed by chapter 43.21B RCW and chapter 371-08 WAC. "Date of receipt" is defined in RCW 43.21B.001(2).

To appeal you must do all of the following within 30 days of the date of receipt of this Decision:

• File your appeal and a copy of this Decision with the PCHB (see addresses below). Filing means actual receipt by the PCHB during regular business hours.

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> • Serve a copy of your appeal and this Decision on Ecology in paper form – by mail or in person. (See addresses below.) E-mail is not accepted.

You must also comply with other applicable requirements in chapter 43.21B RCW and chapter 371-08 WAC.

Street Addresses	Mailing Addresses
Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk 300 Desmond Drive SE Lacey WA 98503	Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk PO Box 47608 Olympia WA 98504-7608
Pollution Control Hearings Board 1111 Israel Road SW, Suite 301 Tumwater WA 98501	Pollution Control Hearings Board PO Box 40903 Olympia WA 98504-0903

For additional information visit the Environmental Hearings Office Website: http://www.eho.wa.gov To find laws and agency rules visit the Washington State Legislature Website: http://www1.leg.wa.gov/CodeReviser

Signed at Yakima, Washington, this 18TH day of DECEMBER

Thomas Perkow, Acting Section Manager

Water Resources Program Central Regional Office

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Enclosures: Your Right to Be Heard

Water Measurement Requirements & Form 1 Beginning of Construction Notice Form

By certified mail: 7014 3490 0001 5527 8875